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	RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF M	IISSING REQUIREMENTS	
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Sir:		,	
Appl	In response to the Notification of Missing icant respectfully submits:	Requirements dated September 7, 2006,	
$\boxtimes$	Attached is a copy of the Notification of Missing Requirements (371 Formalities Letter).		
$\boxtimes$	Attached is the Executed Declaration and Power	r of Attorney  Original  Photocopy.	
	The specification attached to the executed Declaration and Power of Attorney is a true copy of the specification that was filed in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on November 7, 2005, including any amendments thereto (if applicable) filed on even date therewith.		
	The undersigned hereby declares that "Attorney of the attached Inventors' Declaration correspondent November 7, 2005 entitled "ELECTRODE FOR ELECTROCHEMICAL CELL."	esponds to Appl. No.10/555,893 filed	

Docket No.: 5267-0101PUS1 Application No.: 10/555,893 Attached is an English language translation of the above-identified application that was filed in a foreign language, which should be used as the copy for examination purposes. See the attached Translator's Verification; or The undersigned states that the English translation attached hereto is a true and correct translation of the application as originally filed in a foreign language. Attached are 0 sheet(s) of drawings. Please substitute these replacement drawings for the corresponding 0 sheet(s) of drawings on file in the above-identified application. Attached are substitute claims commencing on a separate sheet in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.75(h). Attached is a substitute abstract commencing on a separate sheet in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.72(b). Attached is a substitute specification that complies with 37 C.F.R. § 1.52. The substitute specification does not contain new matter. Attached is a preliminary amendment. Applicant claims small entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.27. Attached is a Supplemental Application Data Sheet (ADS).  $\boxtimes$ Submitted concurrently herewith under separate cover for recording is an Assignment. Attached is a Petition for Extension of Time.  $\boxtimes$ The Government Filing Surcharge for late filing of oath and/or declaration in the amount of \$130.00 in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.494 and 1.492 was previously paid for concurrently with the filing of the application on November 7, 2005.

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Attached hereto is the fee transmittal listing the required fees.

If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account No. 02-2448 for any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or under § 1.17; particularly, extension of time fees.

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The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Copy of the International Application filed on 11/07/2005
- English Translation of the IA filed on 11/07/2005
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 11/07/2005
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 11/07/2005
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 11/07/2005
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 11/07/2005

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

• Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

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Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the response.

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